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Under the Papersion, Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless of displays a valid OMS control number Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 0283-0224PUS1 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) Application Number 10/572.373-Conf. #9860 Filed March 16, 2006 PROCESS FOR PREPARING NITRILE COMPOUND, CARBOXYLIC ACID COMPOUND OR CARBOXYLIC ACID ESTER COMPOUND Art Unit Examiner S. Young This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filling a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Fee Small Entity Fee One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 X Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 450.00 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$510 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 Five months (37 CFR 1,17(a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1,27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-2448 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 28,977 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 June 6, 2007 Signature Date Gerald M. Murphy, Jr. (703) 205-8000 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignizes of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. Total of forms are submitted.